## BEFORE THE

## PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

Commencement of Revocation of Certification of NOS Communications, Inc., for Noncompliance with Rules in Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 168 Requiring Notification of Marketing Name Changes

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## NOTICE OF PROCEEDING TO REVOKE CERTIFICATION

THIS IS A PROCEEDING to revoke the telecommunications reseller certification of NOS Communications, Inc., for failure to notify the Commission of change in its marketing (d/b/a) names within 20 days of such changes or to include information on d/b/a names in the annual report, as required by Wis. Admin. Code §§ PSC 168.10(1)(a), 168.06(2)(b), and 168.12(1)(b).

**NOTICE IS GIVEN** that this action is taken by the Commission in accordance with the provisions of Wis. Admin. Code §§ PSC 168.13(1)(a) and (b) and 168.13(2). This revocation is effective at the close of business 30 days from the date of mailing of this notice unless a company takes appropriate action, as specified in Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 168.13(2), within this time period. Under this section, the company may file a written petition for continued certification containing a statement of any corrective action taken and whether a hearing is requested or waived. The Commission will make a determination based upon the information received. If the thirtieth day falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or holiday, per Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 2.03, the last day for any remedial action under this notice will fall on the next business day. Failure to respond to this notice will result in revocation.

After revocation of a company's certification in Wisconsin, it cannot legally provide resold intrastate services in Wisconsin. In addition, any customer bills for intrastate services provided after revocation are void and not collectible. If a company intends to cease service in Wisconsin by plan or default, it should immediately notify its customers to make other arrangements for intrastate service.

After revocation, if a company decides to reapply with this Commission to be certified as a reseller for intrastate services, it must comply with any outstanding requirements for the 1999 and 2000 annual reports and direct, remainder, telephone relay, and universal service fund assessments. This would permit a previously certified reseller to become certified again by complying with any outstanding requirements **and** filing a new petition for reseller certification

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together with a check or money order, for the filing fee (currently \$250). The Commission's revocation action does not relieve a company of compliance with the 1999 and 2000 annual report requirements as well as any payments required for assessments in the event that a company's annual assessable revenues are \$200,000 or more.

The Commission does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the provision of programs, services, or employment. Any person with a disability who needs accommodations to participate in this proceeding or who needs to obtain this document in a different format should contact the case coordinator listed below.

Questions regarding this matter may be directed to Gary Evenson, Assistant

Administrator, at (608) 266-6744.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin,

By the Commission:

Lynda L. Dorr

Secretary to the Commission

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